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**Subject:** Re: CBP/FWS Coordination Meeting in Imperial Beach July 13th  
**Date:** Tuesday, July 11, 2017 3:13:11 PM

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The folks coming with me are David Zoutendyk, Patrick Gower and Joanna Gilkeson.

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On Tue, Jul 11, 2017 at 11:41 AM, (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)  
<(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)> wrote:

Hi Mendel,

We should be able to accommodate three additional participants. Can you please provide their names?

I will not be attending this meeting in person, but can join via conference call after the site visit to discuss Public Affairs coordination. For your awareness, we have a standing weekly External Outreach coordination call every Tuesday at 2pm EST/11am PT. The agenda includes project updates for our FY17 fence replacement projects and other program updates related to levee and border wall activities. The goal of this meeting is to coordinate stakeholder and outreach engagement activities such as working with our respective public affairs offices to develop public affairs guidance.

I'd like to extend the meeting invitation to the appropriate FWS points of contact.

I'm available to discuss further if needed.

Thank you,

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(b)(6);(b)(7)(C),

Thank you for reaching out to us. I plan to attend on 13th and would like to bring 3 others with me. This includes our Division Chief for the area, the biologist who will likely be working directly with you and a person representing public affairs since this effort will likely generate public interest.

Can you support 4 of us?

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On Tue, Jul 11, 2017 at 8:04 AM, (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)  
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) > wrote:

Good morning Patrick –

I support the BPAM PMO, we are developing an agenda and will have background materials available at the meeting. CBP's intent is to provide FWS with an overview of the CBP's FY17 projects and discuss the San Diego's activities in more detail. The visit will begin with a site visit of the project area and then a brief presentation after at the Imperial Beach Station. We should have room for a few more participants. We can also host a conference line.

Thanks,

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**From:** Gower, Patrick [mailto:[patrick\\_gower@fws.gov](mailto:patrick_gower@fws.gov)]

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Can you please provide some of the specifics of the meeting such as where are we meeting, what specifically will we discuss and will we be conducting a site visit. Please forward any background information if you have any. We have a few of people who would like to attend; how much room do we have?

thanks

*Patrick Gower*

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On Fri, Jul 7, 2017 at 2:21 PM, (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) wrote:

Patrick – CBP is planning for a coordination meeting related to a fence replacement project in San Diego on July 13<sup>th</sup>. We are attempting to reach out to the appropriate persons from Fish and Wildlife to invite them to the meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to inform FWS of the project and begin our environmental planning process. We have reached out to Mendel Stewart but wanted to also check with you as to whether you or someone else from your office would be available to participate. Please let us know if we should reach out to anyone else in Carlsbad.

Thank you,

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